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DR. S. B. CALDWELL ANSWERS SUMMONS

Although He Had Been Feeble End Was Unexpected

Sketch of Career of One of Paducah's Best and Most Successful Citizens.

GREAT TEMPERANCE WORKER MARKETMASTER SUIT HEARD

Dr. Samuel B. Caldwell, 82 years old, one of Paducah's oldest and most substantial citizens, died Saturday night at 8:30 o'clock at his home, 3000 West Broadway, of infirmities incident to old age. While he had been in feeble health the last several weeks, his death was unexpected, and as late as Saturday he was able to be up. Shortly after supper he was seized with a chill and rapidly passed into unconsciousness.

Dr. Samuel Caldwell was born November 2, 1824, in Henry county, Tenn. His parents were John L. and Myra (Morgan) Caldwell, natives of South and North Carolina, respectively. Dr. Caldwell's parents in 1825 moved to Calloway county, Ky. In

March, 1834 he was brought to McCracken county where his parents resided until they died. To the parents were born eight children, one now surviving; Hiram R. Caldwell, a Methodist minister a resident of Mississippi.

Dr. Caldwell first studied civil engineering, and was employed in this vocation in McCracken county. He later went to St. Louis and studied medicine under Dr. Van Zandt, a prominent physician. Later he attended a course of lectures in the University of Missouri and after his graduation became afflicted with eye trouble. A cure was effected through Dr. Van Zandt, and Dr. Caldwell took up the eye as a specialty, but after a few years entered on a general practice, which he continued 15 years.

Dr. Caldwell in late years had devoted his time to real estate. He was associated with the Messrs. Norton, bankers and extensive land owners in this state and Texas, and under such favorable associations was enabled to accumulate valuable property. He leaves one of the biggest estates in western Kentucky. Although a man of wealth he made no showing of it, and lived a quiet life in a small yet comfortable home on West Broadway.

His only political activity was represented by two terms in the lower house of the general assembly.

Dr. Caldwell married Miss Elizabeth J. Napier, a daughter of John Napier, of Casey county, Ky., in early life. Three sons and a daughter were born to Dr. and Mrs. Caldwell, two sons dying in early manhood. The wife passed away in 1901 and the only heirs to the estate are Mr. Samuel B. Caldwell, Jr., the attorney, and Mrs. Mary McElroy. Both were at the bedside of their father when death claimed him.

Dr. Caldwell was a devout member of the First Presbyterian church. He was a temperance worker who had probably done more in this particular field than any other person in Paducah. Dr. Caldwell when he organized the West End Improvement company, which practically built up the West End, insisted on the insertion of a clause in each deed by which the purchaser of property in the west end makes an iron clad agreement not to permit a saloon to be built on the property. This was done to insure that this locality should remain a desirable residence location. The fact that there are no saloons within a mile or two illustrates the success of the project.

Dr. Caldwell was a Royal Arch Mason. The funeral took place this afternoon, the Rev. W. E. Cave, officiating. The active pallbearers were: S. A. Fowler, J. D. Macquot, J. A. Rudy, Gus Hank, A. Kirkland, G. C. Wallace. The honorary pallbearers were: T. A. Baker, D. A. Yeiser, John Cook, M. V. Cherry, W. J. Hills, G. B. Hart.

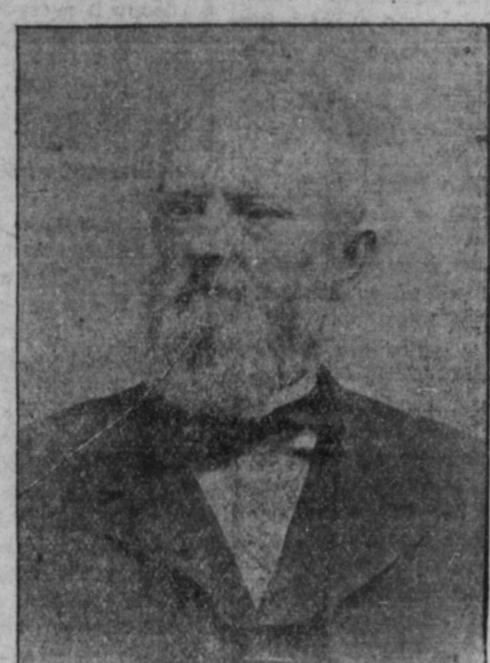
Firemen's Strike Settled.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Interstate Commerce Commissioner Knapp announced today that matters has progressed so satisfactory towards a settlement of the strike of firemen on the Southern Pacific railroad at the conference held by the commission and the labor chief at 2 o'clock this morning, that no further conference will be necessary, unless some unexpected hitch occurs.

CITY CONFESSES JUDGMENT TODAY

For \$606.38 Taxes And Penalties Collected

Ayer-Lord Tie Company Wins An Easy Victory in Circuit Court Case.



The Late Dr. S. B. Caldwell, Sr., Who died Saturday night at his home in this city.

IN SUBWAY

IRVIN S. COBB WAS THROWN AND SEVERELY HURT.

Little Bone in His Right Foot Broken and Tendons Strained—Is Confined.

Mr. Irvin S. Cobb, of the staff of the New York Evening World, is injured in New York, and will be disabled for some time, the result of an accident in the subway. News of his injury reached Paducah this morning. Mr. Cobb travels to the World office by the subway. The cars make a sudden stop and Mr. Cobb when near his station stood on the step preparing to alight. The car began to feel the brakes and a farmer became frightened and tried to jump off. Mr. Cobb attempted to hold him on, but was thrown off the car.

A little bone in his right foot was broken and the tendons of his leg badly strained. He will be able to be out in a few weeks, it is stated.

Mr. Cobb is the son of Mrs. Manie Cobb, of Broadway, and formerly was editor of the News-Democrat.

TAFT WILL GO TO SUPREME BENCH

New York, Jan. 7.—Secretary Taft is to succeed Chief Justice Fuller on the supreme court bench at an early date, according to a Washington dispatch to the New York Press today. President Roosevelt is quoted as saying, "Taft wants to go to the supreme court and that's where he will go."

Epiphany Sermon.

The Rev. David Cady Wright preached a beautiful sermon yesterday at Grace Episcopal church appropriate to the Epiphany season. His theme was the "Visit of the Wise Men to the Christ," and strongly enforced what that visit means to the world today and how our lives should celebrate the event.

Serious Freight Wreck.

Wolcott N. Y., Jan. 7.—A freight wreck occurred on the Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg railroad today near here and two men were killed and several others seriously injured, one of whom will die.

Constable Resigns.

J. J. Lane, constable in the Fifth district, resigned this morning and B. F. Sears was appointed in his place. Sears had been a constable in McCracken county constantly for years until the last year.

Another Deputy Clerk.

Walter Smedley was this morning sworn in as a deputy clerk to meet with the county board of supervisors. He is a brother of County Clerk Hiram Smedley.

There is only one kind of a newspaper circulation statement that is worth any consideration and that is the daily detailed statement. The Sun is the only Paducah paper printing such a statement.

SLEEPER BURNS

AND ONE PASSENGER IS KILLED AND THREE INJURED.

Had Been Smoldering Some Time and Smoke Suffocated Many of the Occupants.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Jan. 7.—Louis De Lairn, clerk of the house committee on irrigation, was killed and three persons injured early yesterday by a fire in a sleeping car attached to the east-bound Los Angeles Limited train on the Chicago and Northwestern railroad. The injured are: O. H. Johnson, of Salt Lake City, slight burns on neck and head; Henry Cabrow, of Salt Lake City, right wrist cut by glass; Mrs. B. Higgins, of Carbondale, Pa., suffered from exposure.

The Northwestern train got within a mile of Loveland, Ia., when the passengers in the Pullman car, Redfield, were aroused by smoke.

The origin of the fire could not be determined, but undoubtedly had been smoldering for some time, as the car was filled with dense smoke,

which suffocated the passengers.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Teachers' Training Class Inaugurated Tonight.

The initial meeting of the Union Sunday School Teachers' Training class will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the parish house of Grace Episcopal church. The Rev. David C. Wright, who was elected superintendent of this work at the organization of the City Sunday School Union, will have charge of the class. Mr. Wright is an enthusiastic believer in Sunday schools and is a vivid teacher of the Bible and will make the meetings of exceptional interest. He has studied methods of the work at the Winona Lake Assembly, where the noted Dr. Chapman is in charge.

PATROLMAN CHANGED.

Patrolman Singery was transferred from the Broadway beat to the Union depot at his own request, and Patrolman Senser stationed at Fourth street and Broadway.

CHINESE BURNED OUT.

Bangkok, Jan. 7.—The Chinese trading quarter of Bangkok was devastated by fire. The estimated loss will reach \$3,000,000.

Love is one of the things that don't thrive on absent treatment.

Clubs Will Evasive Operations of New Ordinance Increasing Their License

Clubs and club rooms which operate buffets for the convenience of members and not for profit, feel that the taxation of a license of \$150, the same as retail saloons, is an imposition, and those not intending to close buffets will resort to a unique method in evading the tax.

"We do not intend to pay the city \$150 for a license to keep liquor in our club," a member of a well known club declared this morning. "There is a way to get around it. It is true that at present we have a regular buffet, but from now on we

will have our liquors in individual bottles in our lockers, and when we want a drink will go get it. There is no law by which a man may be made to pay a license of \$150 for treating a friend out of his individual bottle and defiance may be hurlled at the authorities who try to prove that we are doing otherwise."

The clause in the city license tax ordinance reads as follows, being under the "\$150 Licenses" heading. "A club room or club house where spirituous, vinous or malt liquors are sold or given away in any quantity."

OLD BOARD MEETS, NEW ORGANIZES

School Trustees Have Session at High School

No Caucus Has Been Held and Politics Will Not Enter Into Affair.

SEVERAL ARE MENTIONED.

COUNCIL BEGINS ITS LIFE TONIGHT

H. R. Lindsey Picked For The Presidency Lower Board

Apportionment Ordinance Must Be Passed in January—Licenses Being Secured.

SALOONS MAKE APPLICATION.

All the old and new members of the school board will meet tonight, the former to turn over, and the latter to accept the affairs of the board. The new board will proceed to organize after the old board steps out. It is known that no caucus has been held by the new members and the election tonight probably will be conducted aside from partisan opinions. Mr. U. S. Walston and Dr. A. List are mentioned for the position of president. There are several candidates among the members of the board for the secretaryship, but the rules forbid a member of the board holding the position. Mr. Beckenbach is mentioned as available, as his term expires tonight. Frank May, the incumbent, is a strong candidate.

TO FIRST STREET.

Hotel Belvedere Management Asks for Street Cars.

Messrs. Charles E. Graham and Robert E. Mosher, proprietors of Hotel Belvedere, Second street and Broadway, have asked the management of the Paducah Traction company to run all street cars to First street and Broadway but Manager Bleeker fears to interfere with the present schedule. The "loop" schedule has proven satisfactory and makes it possible to maintain a 10 minute schedule on Broadway; 12 minute schedule on Trimble street, 15 minute schedule to Rowlandtown, 12 minute schedule to Union Station, 20 minute schedule on Jackson street and South Sixth street and 10 minute schedule on South Third street. A petition is being circulated to be presented formally to the traction company asking that this be done away with and cars run to First street on Broadway.

HAWKIN'S CAFE ASSIGNS.

Broadway Restaurant Turned Over to Court for Creditors.

This morning in county court Charles F. Hawkins proprietor of the Unique Cafe and Restaurant, 217 Broadway, filed a deed of assignment to Attorney A. E. Boyd. He states in the deed that he owes individually and in the firm name of Hawkins Bros. numerous debts, which he cannot pay, and assigns all to Boyd for the benefit of creditors. Besides regular restaurant meals, candies and soda waters are served in the place. He was in partnership with his brother, Albert Hawkins until July, 1906, when they dissolved. He claims exemptions of \$200.

THREE ORDINANCE ARRESTS.

Ike Cohen, B. Weile & Sons, and James M. Lang Didn't Remove.

The struggle between the board of public works and Broadway merchants who object to compliances with new sign order, has begun in earnest, and three firms were cited today to appear before Judge Cross for failure to remove signs ordered down by the board. Their cases were continued.

FINE NEW YEAR SERVICES.

Fine New Year services were held yesterday at the Third street Methodist church the best in the history of the church. The Rev. Peter Fields' sermons both morning and evening bore on especial phases of the Holy Spirit, and were strong and forcible and appropriate to the season. Much interest was evinced by the congregation, and the attendance was unusually large.

WEATHER. Rain with colder tonight. Tuesday clearing and colder. The highest temperature reached yesterday was 67 and the lowest today was 58.

Paducah's city hall presents a busy scene today, with preparations for the incoming general council, the line of people paying their licenses for the new year to Treasurer Dorian and taking out their papers and tags from Inspector Lehnhard, and Auditor Kirkland, the busiest man in the city, completing his annual reports.

The mayor's message will not be delivered to the new board of councilmen at the meeting tonight. All the reports are not in and Mayor Yeiser requires some statistics to finish his recommendations.

The old board of councilmen will be called in special session preceding the installation of the new board to conclude its business.

It is probable that H. R. Lindsey will be elected president of the lower board tonight, while the aldermen will fight it out between Alderman Earl Palmer, Republican, and Alderman-elect Ed Hannan.

The first duty of the new council will be to pass the apportionment ordinance. For this purpose, no doubt, the presidents will get busy on their committee assignments without delay. The apportionments must be made in January. The tax rate will be delayed, probably, until March, in order to permit the board of tax supervisors to complete their work adjusting the assessment.

TAX BOOKS SUPERVISORS.

The board of tax book supervisors got down to work this morning by electing W. R. Holland, chairman, and J. A. Glauber, secretary. Mr. Eli G. Boone is the only private on the board. They will be engaged about six weeks on the books.

LICENSES TAKEN OUT.

Probably all the liquor dealers will have their applications before the board of councilmen tonight, and among them are three in locations, which were erected by the old general council. These have their notices posted. They are Barney Padgett, Thirteenth and Clay streets; A. Denker, Jr., Eleventh street and Broadway; H. H. Evans, Twelfth and Trimble streets.

Many other saloonkeepers have paid their license fees, and 40 market house renters paid up Saturday.

SPRINGLIKE DAY.

Enjoyed by Hundreds, Who Walked and Rode Outdoors.

But for the clouds Sunday would have been an ideal spring day, and notwithstanding the threatening weather large crowds of pedestrians were out and the liverymen did a big business.

The temperature began to rise from Saturday morning, and by night was pleasant. Overcoats were discarded and Sunday morning the weather was even milder. The river attracted many hundreds eager to see how high the water had risen. This morning the temperature remained high and it is sufficiently warm to recall spring.

PROF. SCHRIEVES

Makes Excellent Address at Opening of High School.

This morning the public schools opened for the second week in the New Year with an excellent attendance, and the work is progressing nicely. Pupils are greatly interested in the coming "tests" to be made at the end of the term, and while it is not required, many are preparing for them, doing review work of their own accord.

The opening address at the High school this morning was made by Prof. C. H. Schrievens, master of science, and it was very greatly appreciated. Prof. Schrievens is popular with the pupils, and his subject is one of general interest in the schools.

JAPS COMPLACENT.

Tokio, Jan. 7.—There is no excitement in Japan over the San Francisco question and the Tokio press ridicules the attempts of Russian journals to bring about strained relations between the United States and Japan.

HAPPY NEW YEAR DEPENDS ON SELF

Rev. W. E. Cave Discourses
On "New Future"

Things That Lie in the Heart May
Not Be Bought Nor Made
By Art.

TO ENJOY FRUITS OF CANAAN.

"Whether the new year will be
profitable and happy to you depends
on what you bring into it."

This was the central thought in the
New Year's sermon preached by the
Rev. W. E. Cave at the First Presby-
terian church yesterday morning.

His text was:

"And they did eat the fruit of the
land of Canaan during the new year."

Happiness," suggested Dr. Cave,
"lies in the heart. Many a man
builds himself a grand mansion, furni-
shes it with all the elegance and
comfort that art and money can afford,
and moves into it, hoping to
find rest and peace and happiness.
But money cannot buy it and art can-
not make it, and the man must take
happiness into the home in himself."

"A new future," he said, is the de-
sire of the one who has failed and is
despondent. He wishes to begin
anew. He hopes that when he reaches
his Canaan, his promised land, that
he may eat of the fruits, which seem
to be waiting there. But his prepar-
ation and the state of his heart and
mind will have all to do with enjoying
the fruits of Canaan."

Dr. Cave illustrated his sermon
with apt references to incidents of
history and biography.

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matic productions.

Opening Bill Monday, Jan-
uary 7th.

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THEATRICAL NOTES

AT THE KENTUCKY.

Tonight—Isle of Spice,
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and
Saturday night with matinee—Mack-
Leone company.

Wednesday—"Girl and The Ban-
dit."

Friday—Henrietta Crosman in
"All of a Sudden Peggy."

Mack-Leone Company.

Willard Mack and Maude Leone,
who open a four night's engagement
at the Kentucky, are supported by a
company selected from stock houses

of Chicago. In the cities and towns
where they have played the press
has been loud in praise of this com-
pany. They are different from the
usual travelling stock companies, in
asmuch as they produce no "blood
and thunder" plays, carry no specialties,
but produce a high class stand-
ard comedy and drama. Those who

see the production on Monday night
will say that this company is at least
as good as the average. The opening
bill tonight is "Madam Saban." Miss

Leone who is considered one of the
most beautiful of women, is particu-
larly strong in this bill and during
this engagement will wear a most
pleasing array of gowns.

Popular prices. Matinee Saturday.

The Girl and The Bandit.

"The Girl and the Bandit," given
at the Lyceum last night, proved to
be the one real musical treat of the
season. It is a comic opera, one of
the real sort, the book by Mrs. A. C.
Tyler and music by Frederick Col-
wright. The piece was first brought
forward under the title, "A Vene-
tian Romance," some five years ago,
but was put through a trimming
down and weeding out, and when it
emerged, or rather when it was
brought forth revived and improved,
it bore all the ear marks of having
been dipped into a regular fountain
of youth and was so rejuvenated, so
strengthened and so much better
than the first musical child, the origi-
nal "Venetian Romance," that a new
title was deemed meet and proper,
and it was christened, or rather re-
christened, and given the name it
still bears.

When the "Girl and the Bandit"
first found favor in the larger cities
the presenting cast included Jo Myron,
Nell McNeill, Alice Dovey, Viola
Gillette and George McFarlane, the
latter two being the mainstays of the
company which gave it at the Lyceum
last night under the direction of
genial, good-natured Hugh A. Gray,
a prince among theatrical men.

Miss Gillette is a composition of
the best alloy. She always makes
good. Whether as the girl, whether
creating such roles as Charming in
the "Beauty and the Beast," whether
in "Mother Goose," in any of the
big E. & E. productions or amidst
less elaborate environments, her real-
ly rich voice is always a delight and
the perfect outlines of the physical
woman as well as the natural
poses stand out quite as well through
the opera glass as the voice is pleas-
ing to the ear.

Those who were at the Lyceum
last night went into raptures over
the singing of George McFarlane.
His rendition of "A Venetian Rose"
and the "Summer of Love" songs
evoked the most favorable criticism.

The comedy of "The Girl and the
Bandit" is furnished by Leon Pam,
William Sellery and Sam Miley, and
they shoulder what falls to them and
fairly walk away with it. Miss Pam,
a dainty bundle of femininity a lit-
tle larger than Toby Claud, and not
quite so big as Anna Held, meets all
the requirements of a full sized com-
edienne.

William Sellery is what the gallery
gods term a humorous cuss. His looks and
general appearance are truly comical,
and his rich bass voice helps him
along.

Sam Miley does the millionaire
Irish contractor up brown. Others in
the cast are Ora Russell, Frederick
Knights, Elsie Mallette, Nellie Dow-
dall, W. H. Thompson, Jean Reid
and a bunch of dancers, chorus girls
and boys.

"The Girl and the Bandit" is
splendidly mounted. It has suffered
nothing from a lack of attention to
detail. The two scenes represent a
carnival night in Venice and the
bandit's retreat in Austrian Tyrol.

—Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

Henrietta Crosman.

Fortune seems to have taken a
new liking to Henrietta Crosman,
who made a happy appearance at
Powers' theater last night in a new
English comedy, "All of a Sudden
Peggy."

"All of a Sudden Peggy" differs little from last season's play,
but the new vehicle, which was written
by Ernest Denny, is a vastly bet-
ter entertainment, and the large audience at Powers' last night approved
the proceedings from first till
last. The play gives Miss Crosman
ample opportunity for the display of
those personal traits which endear

her to the public. The chief charac-
teristics of this Peggy, whose im-
pulsiveness wins her a descriptive
sobriquet and leads her into numer-
ous complications, are her lack of
consideration for the conventional-
ity, a certain arch roguishness, glib-
ness and an inclination to bungle
her own love affair. All these traits
find pleasing expression in Miss

Crosman's acting, in which there is
both exuberance and finesse. She has
the support of a very good company
of players.

All of a Sudden Peggy, Irish, of
course, like Mary and Kitty Bel-
airs, and all the rest of the Crosman
heroines, is Peggy O'Mara, the daughter
of the widow of a professor
whose specialty was spiders.

Frank Gilmore is the Hon. Jimmy,
and he is admirable in the part
when he does not murder it with an
uncalled-for display of grandilo-
quence, as he does in the first act.
Ernest Stallard, a very good char-
acter actor, who has been seen here
with E. S. Willard in former seasons,
is the Lord Crackenthorp. He lends
to the part quaintness of manner, a
sort of quizzical erudition, and, in
the lord's amatory affairs, amusing
confusion of mind. His frequent plun-
ging out of "Why not? Why not?" ap-
pealed to the audience as being the
most humorous thing in the play, and
the audience probably was right. Ida
Waterman appears as Peggy's moth-
er. Kate Meek is Lady Cracken-
thorp, and J. R. Crawford is Lady
Crackenthorp's brother. Each of
these roles is very well played. Addi-
son Pitt, John Marble, Jane Mar-
bury and Ann Warrington are effi-
cient in smaller parts.—Chicago
Journal.

Mr. Christopher McMahon, the
well known double bass-tuba player,
left Sunday morning at 3:45 o'clock
for Baton Rouge, Ala., to join Don-
nelly and Hatfield's minstrels and
will play the remainder of the season
with this troupe. He has been play-
ing with The Kentucky orchestra.

NEW YORK LETTER.

New York, Jan. 7.—Frederick
Thompson, who must inevitably have
been an infant phenomenon were it not that he was saving up his
brilliant talent until the approach of
his majority, has once more aston-
ished the metropolis by the exhibi-
tion of a new phase of his amazing
versatility. This is the Mr. Thompson
who is the senior member of the
firm of Thompson & Dundy, the
re-generators of Coney Island through
the building of Luna Park, the origi-
nators and constructors of the vast
and stately Hippodrome, the promot-
ers of Vanity Fair—the latest and
most novel of summer amusement
resorts—and the Lord only knows
what all else hitherto untried in the
world of entertainments on a colo-
sal scale. It was this Mr. Thompson
who drew the plans and super-
intended the execution work of Luna
Park, whose next architectural achieve-
ment was the uprearing of the
Hippodrome after his own drawings,
where the marvelous show pieces
were prepared under his own direc-
tion and whoseshrewd foresight caus-
ed the gathering in by the firm of
Thompson and Dundy of the Vanity
Fair quarters away up on the apex
of Fort George Heights. As though

"The Road to Yesterday," at the
Herald Square theater, is an obvious
attempt to take advantage of the extra-
ordinary popularity of "Peter
Pan," for it not only deals with a sort
of fairy topic, but the management uses it as its advertising slogan the
line: "Do you believe in dreams?"
which is a sheer and wanton piece of
mimicry of the "Peter Pan" inquiry.
"Do you believe in fairies?" With
these facts in mind, "The Road to
Yesterday" is about what might be
expected—that is to say, it is lacking
in the grace, the consummate
literary finish and the originality of
treatment bestowed by Dr. J. M.
Barrie upon his delightful tale of the
elves as portrayed by Maude Adams
and her associates.

It was a vociferously expressed,
but none the less true welcome that
was accorded to Blanche Bates on
Monday evening at the Academy of
Music, where she began a limited en-
gagement in David Belasco's "The
Girl of the Golden West," supported
by the members of the original
Belasco cast. The scale of prices at
the Academy is not as high as the
Broadway rate, and this fact enables
a large part of the community to wit-
ness sundry first-class productions
who cannot afford the more costly
luxury of the "production" theaters.
But this condition does not entirely
account for the size of the audiences
drawn to the Academy by Belasco's
star, for there is every night strung
out in Irving Place a long procession
of private equipages showing that
"society" is turning toward the Acad-
emy portal as surely as the class
that is merely well-to-do. This may
be regarded as a strong compliment
to Miss Bates and the Author-Man-
ager of her play, because it is a situa-
tion that doesn't arise as a general
thing.

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eczema, or skin diseases. It
comes in \$1 bottles, to be applied
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for all chronic cases of eczema
and other skin diseases.

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edly successful in their cures.

The Brady-Grismar production of
George H. Broadhurst's political and
social drama, "The Man of the
Hour," bids fair to have a long period
of possession of the Savoy theater,
where it has already entered upon
its second month.

LEANDER RICHARDSON.

The surest way to merit forgive-
ness for our own sins is to extend
pardon for the sins of others against
us.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF

MECHANICS' AND FARMERS' SAVINGS BANK

Paducah, Kentucky

AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 31, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$194,363.97	Capital	\$50,000.00
Stocks and bonds	2,000.00	Undivided profits	4,228.79
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	9,080.17	Deposits	207,925.30
Cash and exchange	56,709.95		
Total	\$262,154.09	Total	\$262,154.09

A dividend of 2 1/2 per cent. was declared out of the net earnings of
the past six months and credited to the stockholders, payable on demand.

J. T. LAURIE, Cashier.



Clearance Sale Prices

—IN OUR—

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

The prices offered during our Semi-Annual
Clearance Sale this year are way out of
the ordinary. Well informed people know, too,
that woolen prices are going clear up out of
sight; this means that you could not replace,
at regular prices, next season the goods
which we are offering at such radical re-
ductions now. The Children's Department has
received its full share of attention, as
you may see by these prices:

1.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$1.13
2.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	1.50
3.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	2.25
4.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	3.00
5.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	3.75
6.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	4.50
7.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	5.25
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LUMBERMEN WILL ASK FOR RECEIVER

Hill Roads Compared With Pennsylvania System

Claim They Are Losing Millions By Reason of Lack of Facilities of Lines.

SOME FIGURES ARE MENTIONED

Chicago, Jan. 7.—The lumbermen of the Pacific Northwest are going to try to put the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern railroads, which are known as Hill properties, into the hands of a receiver and to swamp them with more than 1,000 damage suits aggregating more than \$15,000,000. This fact was made known yesterday by Victor H. Beckman, secretary of the Pacific Coast Lumbermen's association, in a speech denunciatory of railroads made before the national reciprocal demurrage convention. Having revealed the program which the lumbermen have conceived against the Hill roads, Mr. Beckman, as chairman of a committee of seven, started for Washington to ask President Roosevelt to send a special message to congress insisting on a reciprocal demurrage law.

Mr. Beckman came all the way from Seattle to tell his story of alleged wrongs which the railroads are heaping on the shippers' heads in the way of car shortage and delayed movement of freight. His train was 29 hours late, he ran into two wrecks and into several snow slides and admitted he did not arrive in good humor.

Talk on Receivership.

Mr. Beckman's remarks on receiverships and damage suits met with hilarious applause from the convention. This is what he said:

"Our present car shortage has lasted 13 continuous months, and I tell you frankly that some of our people are going out of business, not voluntarily, but by aid of the sheriff and we are up against it real hard. We are up against the proposition so hard that we have joined issues.

He will show that of the 5,920,000 people moved by the Northern Pacific last year 2,600,000 originated in the state of Washington, and that of the 15,000,000 tons of freight moved by this road there were 7,135,000 originated in the same state, and that 42 per cent. of the gross earnings of the Northern Pacific and of the Great Northern comes from the lumber industry of the state of Washington alone, an industry which, he claims, the railroads are trying to kill.

Other Facts to Be Given.

He expects to show that the Great Northern has one locomotive for every seven miles where he Pennsylvania has one for every mile and a half, and that with earnings one-half as great as those of the Pennsylvania the Northern Pacific has 36,000 cars, while the Pennsylvania has 218,000. When he has done all this he expects the president will hurry a special message to congress asking for the passage of a bill which will relieve the situation.

A Wonderful Happening.

Port Byron, N. Y., has witnessed one of the most remarkable cases of healing ever recorded. Amos F. King, of that place says: "Bucklin's Arnica Salve cured a sore on my leg with which I had suffered over 80 years. I am now eighty-five." Guaranteed to cure all sores, by all druggists, 25¢.

City of Panama Lands.

San Francisco, Jan. 7.—The report that the City of Panama had founded was set aside Saturday by the sighting of that vessel as far from shore could be seen through the fog.

Trembling women and children staring at the bulletin boards went wild with joy later when the positive news of the safe arrival of the much-hoped-for vessel was prominently posted.

The vessel has been in distress for the last three days lent more terror to the populace.

CARRIE NATION

Certainly smashed a hole in the bar-rooms of Kansas, but Ballard's Horehound Syrup has smashed all records as a cure for Consumption, Rheumatism and all Pulmonary diseases. T. C. H. Horton, Kansas, writes: "I have never found a medicine that would cure a cough so quickly as Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it for years."

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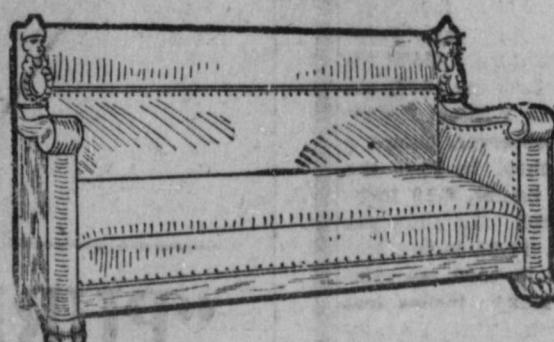
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I will offer a few of the best bargains ever offered to an investor or home-seeker. All property clean, up-to-date, and near street cars. Cash or on time. Phone or see me at Fraternity Building.

J. M. WORTEN

CLEARANCE SALE

Of dependable furniture, which we are now going to offer you at such startling prices that you will wonder how we can do it. Many of our choicest and most attractive pieces, purchased for the holiday trade, will be offered you during this great sale at a great reduction in price, so we urge you to come in early and make your selection. The wonderful values offered will speak for themselves.



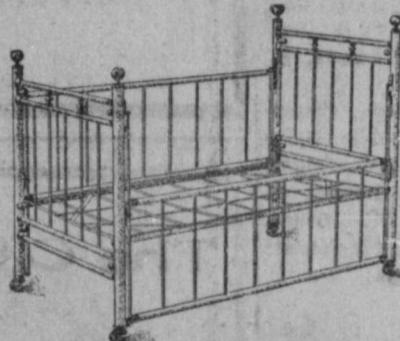
\$20.00 for a Chase Leather Davenport

The most critical buyer will find this line lacking in no feature. See our large assortment. We start them at \$20.00, which will buy one massive in appearance and upholstered in Chase leather.



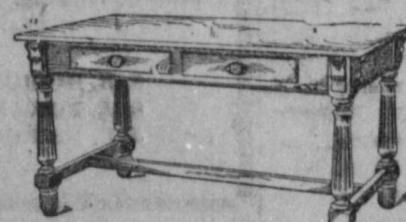
63c-Plate Rack-63c

This is something extra nice, highly polished in golden or weathered oak. Usually sells for \$1.00.



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Something very useful. Get one during this sale at the reduced price.



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Almost the entire line reduced in price. We offer some rare bargains.

25 Per Cent Off



25--Per Cent Off--25

On our entire line of Heating Stoves.

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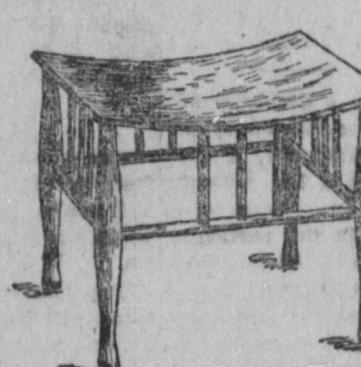
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We offer you a limited number of this lovely Tabourette and Indian Stool at above prices.

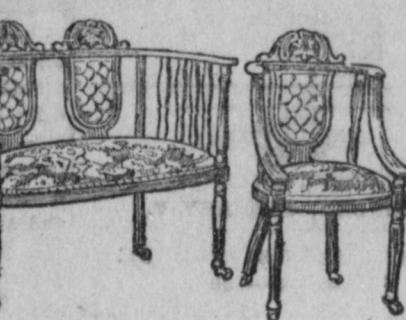
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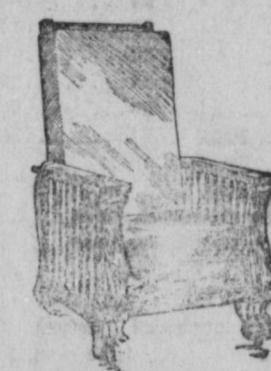
Only a few left, but will give you ONE-FOURTH OFF as long as they last.

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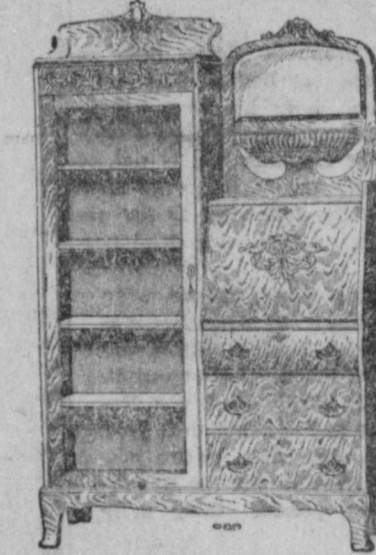
This is a grand opportunity to furnish your parlor cheap. Entire line reduced in price.



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NEWS NOTES FROM SUNDAY PAPERS.

The government of Peru, in its nomination is equivalent to a national budget having set aside a fund for the development of immigration, President Paredo has issued a decree offering free passage for Americans and Europeans who are desirous of going to Peru to introduce some industrial enterprise.

The Ohio river is ten miles wide below Evansville, and is still rising, with prospects of a greater flood, all tributaries in that section being out of their banks. Lowlands are covered with water and steamboats are running over cornfields.

Cardinal Richard has issued an appeal to the faithful, which will be read in all the Paris churches today, asking for funds to support the clergy. "The spoilage of the church in France," he says, will soon be complete.

The Republican committee of the Third railroad commissioner's district called a convention to be held in Mt. Sterling, April 24, to select a nominee. Several candidates have announced

The statement of the New York clearing-house banks for the past week shows that the banks hold \$147,625 more than the legal reserve requirements. This is a decrease of \$5,221,400 as compared with the previous week.

Attorneys for the government and for the Standard Oil company at Chicago, have agreed upon January 15, as the date upon which the oil company is to plead to the indictments recently sustained by Judge Landis.

By an executive order the military reservation of Fort Davis, Texas, embracing about 300 acres of land in the county of Presidio, has been transferred to the control of the secretary of the interior.

Nine buildings were wrecked and much mining machinery destroyed in Lowell, Ariz., by the accidental explosion of dynamite in a mine storehouse. No lives were lost.

Oliver F. Lantz, treasurer of the

board of foreign missions of the general synod of the Lutheran church of America, and a member of the general council of that church, died at Baldmore yesterday.

Count Leo Tolstoi has written a letter in which he predicts the possible reduction of all the Christian countries of the west to a state of vassalage to the Japanese and Oriental peoples.

Consul General Berghols, at Canton, China, has advised the state department that the Lien Chow massacre indemnity has been paid in full by the Chinese government.

The gas supply, which was completely shut off in Cleveland Friday, following the blowing up of both mains leading from West Virginia to Cleveland, has been restored.

The house committee on military affairs has concluded its work on the army appropriation bill, which will be reported to the house on Monday.

King Oscar of Sweden continues to take strength. He was able to sit up for longer periods during the past two days and sleep well at night.

Both the coroner's inquest and the interstate commerce commission's in-

vestigation of the Terra Cotta wreck were continued at Washington yesterday.

Twenty-nine new cases of typhoid fever and five deaths were reported at Scranton, Pa. The total number of cases so far is 1,010.

The new Uruguayan minister, Dr. Louis Lafinur, was formally presented to President Roosevelt yesterday by Secretary Root.

Gen. Sir Henry Percival De Bathe, whose son, Hugo Gerald De Bathe, is the husband of Lillian Langtry, is dead in London.

The secretary of war has ordered the early transfer of all the colored troops in the United States to the Philippine Islands.

Adolphus Busch, the St. Louis brewer, who was recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia, has suffered a relapse.

"Doctor," said a shrewd-looking man, "how many feet of gas does it take to kill a man?"

"That's rather a queer question," replied the doctor; "why do you wish to know?"

"One of the guests at my hotel

used enough of it to kill himself, and I want to send in a proper bill to his executors."—Tit-Bits.

Rexall Cherry Juice Cough Syrup

A delightful and effective remedy, especially good for children. A great improvement on the old, common, nauseating cough mixtures.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 7.

CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

December—1906.

1.....	3930	17.....	3963
3.....	3890	18.....	3921
4.....	3877	19.....	3949
5.....	3868	20.....	3926
6.....	3935	21.....	3938
7.....	3896	22.....	3939
8.....	3894	23.....	3939
10.....	3874	26.....	3961
11.....	3881	27.....	3925
12.....	3927	28.....	3932
13.....	3934	29.....	3899
14.....	3921	31.....	3883
15.....	3914		
Total			97,921
Average for December, 1906	3,917		
Average for December, 1905	3,740		

Increase 177

Personally appeared before me, this, Jan. 1 1907, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Dec., 1906, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

There are more virtues in one sunbeam than in a whole atmosphere of cloud and gloom.

JUDGE BREATHITT AT HOME.

Political prophets must not be without honor at home. The man who "cannot carry his own weight," is usually short lived. Judge James Breathitt, of Hopkinsville, is not of this sort, and the Hopkinsville Messenger has the following to say regarding him as a gubernatorial possibility:

Not long since, as we were walking down the street, we met a lady, who, having noticed the dissension among the Democrats, remarked, "Why don't you Republicans get together next year and wipe out the entire machine?" Well might the Republican party ponder this, Why don't we?

Unfortunately for us we have too many contending elements in our own ranks.

The Messenger believes that we have a grand opportunity to redeem the state from the oppression of machine Democracy. We believe that the outrageous tax laws by which the poor poll tax payer is raised from \$1.50 to \$5.13 in thirty days could be repealed. But to do it means to "get together."

To get together we must get a popular statesman for governor, one who belongs to no faction, an orator, a modest man of pleasing address, one that has many friends and no enemies. A man who makes friends wherever he goes, a lawyer of splendid ability, a man that respects the rights of the people, as against the machines and the grafters.

That man we have among us, nominate him and the next governor of Kentucky will be a Republican with an absolute certainty.

The Messenger is for the Hon. James Breathitt, of Christian county, for the Republican nomination for governor.

Some objection has been made to THE SUN's reference to a "deficit" in the city's fund's, on the ground that it does the retiring general council injustice. Our only excuse is that there is a deficit apparent on the final balance, and THE SUN must call a spade, a spade. It is true that the general council paid off an inherited deficit of some \$9,000; that a deficit already existed in the hospital fund, and it is perhaps equally true, that had it not been for the purchase and installation of the equipment for the lighting plant, and the big overdraft the board of public works created in its funds, there would have been no deficit; but thus far we have only been referring to the matter incidentally. When we get hold of the annual reports we will have something to say about "the deficit", anon. However,

we may say this, the equipment of the lighting plant was economically purchased, and while it apparently cost the board of public works over \$100 the light to install the new ones, and while as a general principal we think a board should always consider how much money it has apportioned to its department and govern itself according; yet, probably the board of public works may be able to show for the big overdraft it created, permanent public improvements that will justify its course.

Efforts of societies, such as Israel Zangwill, the Jewish leader, represents, are furthering the policy of the national administration in directing immigration rather than discouraging it and exercising federal powers to select desirable citizens instead of prohibiting their entrance. Zangwill's idea is to bring Russian Jews into the country by way of Galveston instead of New York. He aptly puts it that to the "immigrant New York and America are synonymous." One of the great objections to immigration arises from a superficial observation that foreigners colonize in our great cities and there perpetuate manners and customs foreign to our habits and ways of thinking. They do not become assimilated, but fall prey to political ward heelers, and breed a race of anarchists. Our ancestors were immigrants. The Mayflower was the first immigrant ship. We have an abundance of room for the oppressed of all nations, but not in our "ghettos." The room is in the wide country, and the scattering of immigrants so that they may fall under the influence of American social customs and conditions is the great problem which we must set about solving.

Much false deduction is indulged in concerning the statement of an Indiana traction president, who acknowledged that he is not earning the large salary paid him. There are, it is true, controlling heads of great institutions that vote themselves exorbitant salaries and practice economies in the hire of the workers; but generally it may be said, the acknowledgement of an employee that he is receiving too large a salary, is not the cue for a reduction in wages, but a cue for the entrance of his successor. There is no limit to the amount of money a man earns, except his own capacity. There may be a limit to the amount his employer is justified in paying him, based on the income of the business, but the amount a man earns and the value of his services depend on himself. The Indiana traction company evidently needs a president and general manager who can earn the salary.

Oregon has taken a decidedly advanced step in the extension of the scope of the unwritten law. A wife murderer was given a life sentence there, because the jury considered the unwritten law in the particular case. Fortunately, none of the older states have yet gone so far as to give a man the power of life and death over his own family, but persistence in the creed of the unwritten law, as enunciated by fee-hungry criminal lawyers, will eventually bring us to this. We have this consolation that such abuses always effect their own cure by reaction. Some day the unwritten law will be stretched too far, and then—some idle hemp may be stretched.

Late stockholders in the Union and Southern Pacific railroads have enjoyed the benefits of an impressive lesson on the difference between deferred dividends and deferred information.

After personal investigation Secretary Wilson assures the distillers that the pure food law will not injure Peoria whisky. No, nothing could injure Peoria whisky.

Every system must have a head, but it was a mistake for the Baltimore & Ohio employees to think that the Bloch system required the collaboration of a block head.

It ill becomes the fellow, who throws banana peelings on the sidewalk, to talk about the "reckless disregard" of the chauffeur.

He Shook Hands.

Senator Long of Kansas, comes from the rural districts and was rather diffident when he went to his first big reception in Washington, at the home of Senator Elkins, says the Saturday Evening Post.

Mrs. Long tried to steer him down the line and succeeded admirably.

When they had shaken hands with everybody Long mopped his face and said: "Well, my dear, I guess I got through that all right, and I think I knew everybody with one exception.

Tell me, who was that man at the end of the line with whom I shook hands."

"That," Mrs. Long replied freezing, "was the butler."

Teacher (severely)— "What are you laughing at, Willie?"

Small Willie— "Please ma'm, I wasn't laughing. My face slipped."

ON TRUCK

NEGRO BABY WAS BORN EARLY
SUNDAY MORNING.Illinois Central Hawkins Will Be
Style of Christening of
the Child.

The local Illinois Central railroad baggage room was at 1:50 o'clock converted into an emergency hospital at 1:50 o'clock Sunday morning and as a result the road has a namesake in the seven pound negro boy baby born in it at that hour.

When the fast flyer, No. 104, from Memphis to Louisville, pulled into the station. There was a bustle and hurry within the train, but every passenger in the colored department gave way for a physician and woman, who was half carried from the train.

The doctor was a negro, James Taylor, of Mayfield, and the woman was Olivia Hawkins, of Mayfield.

The woman was assisted to the baggage room and a truck served admirably for a bed.

The woman's condition would not permit her leaving the city, and with the physician in charge, she was taken to a residence on the north side in a cab. She was en route from Mayfield, when she buried her husband Saturday, to Nashville to reside with relatives.

The child's name shall be Illinois Central Hawkins, officials at the depot declare as the mother stated that she would honor the road with a namesake.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT
Every dog makes you feel better. Lax-Fox
keeps your whole insides right. Sold on the
money-back plan everywhere. Price 50 cents.

Thinking Clubs.

"Thinking clubs" are being organized in Springfield, Mass. It is a movement representing a wholesale reaction. There are altogether too many talking clubs and too few thinking clubs. In the Springfield club the thinkers think out loud, but their thoughts never get into the newspapers, which, we fear, will make them unpopular with many persons of light and leading who see no good in anything which doesn't lead to publicity. For them the old line is true, "Thinking is but an idle waste of thought," and they do not waste much of it. There are a number of Massachusetts citizens and anti-imperialists who would look interesting playing a thinking part. A "thinking club" is just the place for them.

New York Tribune.

Excelsior.

The shades of night were falling fast, but the Alpine villagers could still make out the strange device which the youth bore, 'mid snow and ice.

The maiden, however, misunderstood him completely, surmising that he was introducing a new breakfast food.

"Is excelsior really any better than sawdust?" she asked, wishing to strike up a conversation with the handsome stranger.

And she never could understand why he swept haughtily on, with his eye flashing like a falchion.—Life.

Once the feet have been bruised, the heart begins to dread the remainder of the journey.

Faith is what a woman thinks she believes because she believes it.

One-Fourth Off on All Children's Suits and Overcoats

The New Store's Children's Department is easily the best in the city, and such reductions mean something. You owe it to your boy and to your purse to take advantage of this opportunity.

Boys' and Children's \$2.50 Suits and Overcoats, blues and blacks included, now..... \$1.88

Boys' and Children's \$3.00 Suits and Overcoats, blues and blacks included, now..... 2.25

Boys' and Children's \$5.00 Suits and Overcoats, blues and blacks included, now..... 3.75

Boys' and Children's \$6.50 Suits and Overcoats, blues and blacks included, now..... 4.88

Boys' and Children's \$7.50 Suits and Overcoats, blues and blacks included, now..... 5.63

Boys' and Children's \$8.50 Suits and Overcoats, blues and blacks included, now..... 6.38

Boys' and Children's \$10.00 Suits and Overcoats, blues and blacks included, now..... 7.50

RAINFALL

FOR THREE YEARS COMPILED IN
REPORT OF CAPT. BORNEMAN.

Cairo's Wharf Higher Than Paducah's, But It Is on the Second Story of Town.

Paducah's exact geographical location may not be known to many persons. It is 37.5 latitude and 88.37 longitude. Elevation above the sea level, 341.6 feet, at the top of the wharf. Cairo's wharf is 18 feet higher than Paducah though Cairo proprietor is lower than Paducah. Official report of the rainfall here for 1906, observation by Captain William Borneman, government observer, shows a rainfall of 50.1 inches. In 1905 the rainfall was 43.91 inches, 6.19 inches less than in 1906. In 1904 the rainfall was 38.59, 11.51 inches less than in 1906. And in 1903 the rainfall was 33.86, 16.24 inches less than in 1906, showing that the rainfall last year was unusually large.

DEATHS OF A DAY

Miss Maudie Englert.

Miss Maudie Englert, 15 years old, the daughter of Mrs. Ella Englert, and stepdaughter of Mr. Chas. Lehrer of the St. Johns section, died Sunday morning at 4 o'clock of pneumonia after a several weeks' illness. The body was buried this morning at 10 o'clock in the St. John cemetery.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Palmer—R. F. Hodges, Milwaukee; R. W. Morris, St. Louis; E. J. Ridener, St. Louis; J. E. Terry, Chicago; E. R. Anderson, Hurricane, Tenn.; C. M. Budd, Memphis; C. D. Hopper, New York; E. B. Wood, Ft. Wayne, Ind.; W. J. Kerrigan, Cincinnati; J. M. Neal, Cairo, Ill.; P. A. Ryan, Chicago; William Snitz, Indianapolis; T. W. Butler, Akron, O.; G. M. Green, Nashville; E. A. Hall, Memphis; W. A. Kelley, Cincinnati; Roy Andrews, Chattanooga; P. C. Lewis, Memphis.

Belvedere—J. D. Simpson, Cincinnati; H. A. Stone, St. Louis; Jason Futrell, Nashville; J. R. Wright, Cincinnati; J. R. Lowe, Lowes; R. F. Miller, Nashville; G. H. Grue, Nashville; W. A. Kelley, Cincinnati; Roy Andrews, Chattanooga; P. C. Lewis, Memphis.

New Richmond—Joe Ryan, Murray; W. B. Chapman, Pinckneyville, Ill.; O. F. Foreman, Metropolis, Ill.; S. W. Travis, Dyersburg; Thomas Wolfe, Solem; J. A. Seaman, Princeton; G. W. Dutton, Sioux City, Ia.; S. W. Davis, Barlow; Frank Smith, Grand Rapids, Wis.; O. H. Tyfe, Chicago; L. W. Copeland, Metropolis, Ill.; J. D. Smith, Mayfield; T. A. Conway, Marion; William Klicksella, Unionville, Ill.; J. W. Toryman, Hopkinsville; H. A. Crane, Clifton, Tenn.; G. L. Alliston, Woodville, Louis.

Bacon—I tell you, the American people are not all easily fooled.

Egbert—What's the matter? Been trying to borrow money and failed?

Yonkers Statesman.

TWINS

"PURE FOODS"
"GAS RANGES"

INCREASE

IN RECEIPTS OF THE PADUCAH POSTOFFICE LAST MONTH.

Both Month of December and Quarter Show Significant Gain Over Preceding Year.

An increase of \$436.23 was made

in December, 1906, over December, 1905, in receipts at the Paducah postoffice, and Postmaster Frank M. Fisher is pleased with the excellent showing. It indicates the admirable handling of business by the local postoffice clerks, and the increased prosperity in Paducah.

The postoffice report for the last quarter, including the months of October, November and December, 1906, show receipts, \$16,549.43, an increase of several hundred dollars over the last quarter in 1905.

The report for the last month shows:

December, 1905 \$5,455.16

December, 1906 5,891.39

Increase \$ 436.23

MARINE ENGINEERS

Elected Officers and Delegates to Convention.

Messrs. J. B. Flasch and C. M. Johnson, delegates from the local Marine Engineers

Furs 1-4 Off Furs
on all
FURS
Furs Sets and Pieces
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Rudy, Phillips & Co.
Furs Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department. Furs

LOCAL LINES.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.
—Drink Belvedere the master brew.

—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 400 1-2 Broadway. Phone 196.

—The K. T. Maccabees will install officers Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, and all members are requested to be present.

—When you order a rig from us you are talking to one of the proprietors or capable clerks (not a driver or hostler) who writes, files and fills the order at appointed time. Palmer Transfer Co.

—Born to the wife of Mr. Barney Sims of Hayes avenue, Mechanicsburg, a son this morning.

—Dr. V. Blythe has moved from Fraternity building to 525 Broadway next to Register building. Office phones 870, residence 272.

—Will Henderson was fined \$10 and costs and Ottoway Thompson \$5 and costs Saturday night by Judge Cross, sitting in special session, for fighting. They worked on steamboats and the captains needed them, securing a special session of police court.

—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make their requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to our carriers. Sun Pub. Co.

—Drink Belvedere the Paducah beer.

—Sexton, the sign writer, all kinds of sign and advertising writing, fine painting of every character, inside work and carriage painting and repairing. Phone 401.

—We have Slug Shot that will destroy all insects on plants; and Plant Food that will make plants grow. Brunson, 529 Broadway.

—Four more examinations for civil service positions were authorized this morning. They are assistant Philippine service, January 25-26; teacher Philippine service, January 25-26; assistant dairyman, February 5; assistant in animal bacteriology and in plant pathology, department of agriculture, February 6-7.

—For high-grade wallpaper see Kelly & Umbaugh, 321 Kentucky Av.

—Calendar pads and calendar stands for office use at R. D. Clements & Co.

—On February 9 Fred B. Ashton, civil service examiner, will examine any applicants who desire to become rural carriers. There is one vacancy made by the death of Boyd Shewell.

—John Morrison professional horse shoer and blacksmith with G. R. Sexton, Sixteenth and Madison. Phone 401.

—Louis Cole, the negro who was supposed to be fatally injured, is

slowly recovering at the Illinois Central hospital. An engine cab caught his head and crushed his skull, a large piece of bone being taken from the wound.

—Lew Roberts, "the razor king," of Nashville, is in the city and will put his razors on sale at McPherson's drug store.

—Dr. J. V. Voris, dentist, 200 Fraternity building.

—Some one broke into the rear of the Henderson Brewing company's storage warehouse at Second and Washington streets, last night, and stole a case of beer. The theft was reported to the police this morning by Agent Miller.

—Judge D. G. Park has moved his law office into the rooms on Broadway recently vacated by Stuart & Bass physicians, and now occupies the two rooms on the ground floor at 229 1/2 Broadway.

—Belvedere beer is a home product. Remember that.

—For best coal and bundled kindling, phon 203, Johnston-Denker Coal Co.

IN THE COURTS**Circuit Court.**

The January term of McCracken county circuit court began this morning at 8:30 o'clock, Judge William Reed presiding.

The first week of the court is taken up in calling the docket, setting cases and disposing of motions, and the jury will not be empaneled until next Monday.

The equity docket consists of about 300 cases, and the ordinary 150 cases.

Paducah Banking company against Cooper, judgment by confession, \$127; City National bank against Fred Roth, dismissed; C. H. Brothers against Charles Moquot, dismissed; Ayer-Lord Tie company against the city of Paducah, confessed judgment for \$606.38 for taxes paid the city in 1904 under protest; American-German National bank against E. Rehkopf, continued; Linda Manion against James Manion, judgment for divorce; T. M. Stewart Dry Goods company against Nellie English, et al., judgment against J. E. English for \$72; L. S. DuBois, judgment for \$99; Alice Duncan against Hayes Drug company, judgment for \$419; Robinson-Pettit company against R. H. Hayes, judgment for \$86; Reed & Wilcox against R. E. Mochelle, mandate filed, judgment for \$60 damages for appeal.

Two Wills Filed.

The last will and testament of Edwin Rudolph, dated August 12, 1891, and witnessed by T. B. Fauntroy and F. F. Ghokson, was filed. He leaves all his personal and real estate to his wife, Anne C. Rudolph, and in event of her death, to go to R. W. Rudolph, his son. To another son, C. F. Rudolph, he leaves one note of \$500 the son made to him, also an account for \$27.50. The wife is named executrix.

The last will and testament of Saline Fitzgerald, dated this year, and witnessed by L. G. Boyd and F. B. Fauntroy, was filed. She leaves all her estate, both personal and real, to her husband, John Fitzgerald. In event of his death it is to be divided between nieces, Misses Susie and Bessie Vance.

—**Marriage License.**
James Bones, city, 23, to Dora Montague, city, 28, colored.

—**Deeds Filed.**
W. T. Feagin and others to C. C. Bass property in the county, \$500. West End Improvement company to Ira H. Sams and Ada L. Sams, property on Monroe street, \$300.

—**Phleomine Courier, et al.**, to Saline J. Hysmith, property on Wilder street, \$1,200.

—Administrator Appointed.

T. B. Fauntroy was this morning appointed administrator, with the will annexed, of Saline Fitzgerald.

People and Pleasant Events

Engagement of Miss Weil and Mr. Hart Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Weil today announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Ruth Weil, to Mr. Edson Hart. The wedding will take place at 4 o'clock of the afternoon of January 22, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wellie, 733 Jefferson street.

The marriage will unite two most popular young people of Paducah society, belonging to old and prominent families.

Miss Weil is an exceedingly pretty and charming girl, talented and gracious, with an especially wide circle of friends. She is the youngest daughter of Mr. Jacob Weil, one of Paducah's most respected citizens and retired capitalists. Her mother belongs to a prominent Mayfield family and has many relatives throughout west Kentucky.

Mr. Hart is the youngest son of the late Capt. George O. Hart, a leading citizen of Paducah for many years, and is the junior member of the large hardware firm George O. Hart & Sons, one of the oldest in the city. He is a fine young man, with a host of friends, and has the cordial respect of all who know him.

The wedding will be a quiet home event.

Mrs. Leech to Sail February 5.

Mrs. Thomas C. Leech will leave January 31 for New York, where she will join a party of friends from Montreal, Can., and they will sail February 5 for Egypt, Constantinople and the Holy Land. Mrs. Leech will go also to Italy and will not return before June.

Mrs. Leech has traveled extensively abroad, but has never made the Egyptian trip, which has been one of her desires. Mrs. Moimie Meehan, of Paris, Texas, a cousin of Mrs. Bertie Campbell, who has visited here, will be also, of the party.

New Literary Club Organized.

A club that will do work along literary lines was organized Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Marjorie Scott on North Ninth street. The officers are: Miss Elizabeth Sinnott, president; Miss Ethel Morrow, vice president; Miss Marjorie Scott secretary and treasurer. Committees were appointed to select a name, outline the plan of study, day of meeting, etc. A meeting will be held Friday at 10 a.m. with Miss Marjorie Scott, to hear reports of the committees and complete the organization.

The club is composed of a number of the society girls and young matrons and will take up some definite course of study; whether history, art, or literature will be given prominence this year, has not been decided. Some of the club are girls just out of college, debutantes of the season, who are not content to just play.

As all the members are exceptionally bright and talented, a high grade of literary work may be expected. While members of the leading social club it is a fine spirit of the times that this alone does not satisfy them.

Modern Woodmen Notice.
Camp 11,313 will meet tonight at Broadfoot's hall, instead of the former meeting place, Fifth and Broadway. Officers elect and candidates are urged to attend. Installation of officers and initiations will take place.

J. H. FITZIUS, Clerk.

No, Alonzo, we have no pirates and buccaneers nowadays; trust promoters and frenzied financiers have suppressed them.

Col. G. W. Landrum, of Smithland, returned home this morning after visiting in Paducah.

Mr. J. D. King, special agent of the Louisville division of the Illinois Central, was in the city today on business.

John Trantham, a member of the board of grievances of the Illinois Central, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, is in Chicago attending a meeting of the board.

W. A. Mundy, the Illinois Central switchman will return to work tomorrow after a several weeks' layoff due to a injured back.

Deputy United States Marshal Wade Brown went to Princeton this morning on business.

Mr. Earl Walters went to Kuttawa this morning on business.

Mr. Mike Griffin returned to Murray this morning after spending Sunday in Paducah with relatives.

Mr. Brack Owen went to Carbonate this morning to look after his mining interests.

Mrs. Bart Stith, of Elizabethtown, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. F. Alvey, wife of the well known physician, returned home this morning.

Attorney Mike Oliver returned to Benton this morning after a business trip to Paducah.

Prof. and Mrs. J. A. Mahler arrived in the city Saturday night from

El Paso Texas, and have rooms at 513 North Fifth street. They will be in Paducah for some weeks.

Mrs. Alma Reed, of Chicago, sang at both services at the Trimble street church Sunday, and will sing again next Sunday.

Miss Rosebud Hobson left this morning for school 'n Hollins, Va.

Miss Virginia Newell, who has been visiting in Brownsville, Tenn., for two weeks, will return Wednesday evening.

James Wheeler and Lynn Boyd left yesterday for Alexandria, Va., where they are attending school, after spending the holidays at home.

John Campbell returned to Winchester, Va., yesterday to school, after spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Bertie F. Campbell.

Mrs. Hamilton Parks and son Hamilton, returned to their home in Nashville today after a visit to Mrs. Parks' daughter Mrs. John S. Bleeker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hite, of Ninth and Jones streets, returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Mite's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carnal, of Grahamville.

Mr. E. B. Treadaway and wife, accompanied by Mr. Lloyd Begley, of Beattyville arrived in the city yesterday and are the guests of Mr. R. Treadaway, 289 Clements street, Mechanicsburg.

Trainmaster L. E. McCabe, of the Illinois Central, and his stenographer, James Qualis, went to Central City this morning.

Mr. William McNamara, track supervisor of the Louisville division of the Illinois Central, was in Paducah this morning on business.

Mr. William Eades went to Greenville this morning to look after his mines.

Mrs. J. B. Agee of Harrison street, has returned home after a pleasant visit to relatives in Humboldt, Tenn.

Miss Anna Bird Stewart left yesterday for her home in Cincinnati after a two weeks' visit to friends in Paducah.

In Police Court.

J. W. Bailey, a blacksmith, was presented in police court this morning on two charges, one for breach of peace and the second for acting in a disorderly manner. He was fined \$75 and costs in the latter, and sentenced to 20 days in the county jail Saturday night Bailey went into, it is said, the Whitehead restaurant, swore in the presence of Mrs. Whitehead and the waitresses, and when a negro boy went to serve him, knocked the boy down. He gave the policemen a chase and finally eluded them. Later he went down near First and Broadway and got into a quarrel with several men. They followed him to the New Richmond hotel and a fight resulted. Bailey was badly cut about the face and hands and was taken to the city hall.

John Bulger and George Ferrell were suspected of being his assailants, but Ferrell proved an alibi and was dismissed this morning.

Other cases: J. C. Beaty, failure to support a child, continued; Chas. Brewer, colored, for striking Kate Jones, \$50 and costs; Bert Roberts, white, a boy held to the juvenile court for two cases of breach of peace and for flourishing a pistol; Jim Doolin petit larceny, continued.

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FOR SALE CHEAP if sold at once: Parlor, dining room and bedroom set and other household articles. Apply 1455 Broadway.

HORSES AND MULES—We shall be at James A. Glauber's livery stable Saturday, January the 12th, to buy horses and mules.

SEND your clothes to the Faultless Pressing club, 302½ Broadway, Drake & Browder, proprietors. Both phones 1507.

WANTED—Buyer for two suits of furniture, new, 1 gas stove, 1 coal stove. Will sell at half price. Party wants to leave town. L. care Sun.

STOVES AND RANGES repaired. Ike Clark, 722 South Seventh, or old phone 2685.

WILLIAMS Furniture exchange, 538 South Third. Furniture bought and sold. New phone 990-a.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth rock eggs \$1.00 per setting of 15. Old phone 1440.

FOR RENT—Large furnished room, first floor. Apply 332 South Fourth.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth rock eggs, \$1 per setting of 15. Old phone 1440.

FOR SALE—Four room house on Clay street. Apply to F. F. Davis, 620 Kentucky avenue.

WANTED—A good, young, fresh, or soon to be fresh Jersey cow. Address R. R. care The Sun.

FOR RENT—Four room house on Clay street. Apply to F. F. Davis, 620 Kentucky avenue.

WANTED—Work for half time, either morning or afternoon, by competent stenographer with references. Can furnish machine. Address W. 51, this office.

FOR SALE—Stock of general merchandise, located at Paul, Ill., on I. C. railroad, or will exchange for Paducah residence property, or small farm near Paducah. Address or call on N. L. Golightly, Paul, Ill.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Few weeks completes. Wages Saturdays. Tools given. Diplomas granted. Beautiful 1907 catalogue just out mailed free. Write, Moler Barber College, St. Louis, Mo.

FOR SALE—\$4,500. Nine-room residence, bath, pantry, closet, hot and cold water, good out buildings, large stable, paved alley. Jefferson street. H. C. Hollins, Trueheart building. Telephone 127.

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Trust to Nature.

A great many Americans, both men and women, are thin, pale and puny, with poor circulation, because they have ill-treated their stomachs by hasty eating or too much eating, by consuming alcoholic beverages, or by too close confinement to home, office or factory, and in consequence the stomach must be treated in a natural way before they can rectify their condition satisfactorily. The Indians and such people, in fact, are very weary, thin and thin-blooded person, do their work with great difficulty. As a result fatigue comes early, is extreme and lasts long. The demand for nutritive aid is ahead of the supply. To insure perfect health every tissue, bone, nerve and muscle should take from the blood certain materials and return to it certain others. It is necessary to insure the stomach for the work of taking up from the food what is necessary to make good, rich red blood. We must go to Nature for the remedy. There were certain roots known to the Indians of this country before the advent of the whites which later came to the knowledge of the settlers and which are now growing rapidly, a medicinal fair substitute of ordinary stomach and liver troubles. These are found to be safe and yet certain in their cleansing and invigorating effect upon the stomach, liver and blood. These are: Golden Seal root, Queen's root, Stone root, Bloodroot, Mandrake root. Then there is Black Cherry bark. The medicinal principles residing in these native roots when extracted with glycerine as a solvent make the most potent and efficient stomach tonic and liver invigorator, when combined in just the right proportions, as in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Where there is bankrupt vitality—such as nervous exhaustion, bad nutrition—and thin blood, the body acquires vigor and the nerves, blood and all the tissues feel the favorable effect of this sovereign remedy. Although some physicians have been aware of the high medicinal value of the above mentioned plants, yet few have used pure glycerine as a solvent and usually the doctors' prescriptions called for the ingredients in varying amounts, with alcohol.

The "Golden Medical Discovery" is a scientific preparation compounded of the glycerine extracts of the above mentioned vegetable ingredients and contains no alcohol or harmful habit-forming drugs.

When Wealth Is Odious.

Senator P. H. McCarran has never been regarded as an authority in either ethics or economics, and it is therefore rather refreshing to discover him discussing the question of the distribution of wealth which is both an ethical and economic question. "The time is coming," he says, "when it will be odious to be wealthy."

The Wall Street Journal begs to differ with Senator McCarran. Wealth will never be odious except:

First—When the rich man is criminal.

Second—When he is miserly.

Third—When he displays his wealth too ostentatiously and extravagantly.

Fourth—When he uses his wealth to oppress others, to crush out competition and to bribe his way into political power.

Riches will never be odious as long as the rich man conducts himself like a gentleman; using his wealth aright with becoming hospitality, with intelligent philanthropy and with a due sense of stewardship.—Wall Street Journal.

A Memorable Day.

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THE REFUGEES

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(Continued from Yesterday.)

CHAPTER XVII.

FOR two days the Golden Rod lay becalmed close to Cape la Hague, with the Breton coast extending along the whole of the southern horizon. On the third morning, however, came a sharp breeze, and they drew rapidly away from land until it was but a vague, dim line which blended with the cloud bank.

"I am frightened about my father, Amory," said Adele as they stood together by the shrouds and looked back at the dim cloud upon the horizon which marked the position of that France which they were never to see again.

"What do you mean, Adele? My uncle is Hale and hearty, and he will accustom himself to this new life."

"If it only could be so! But I fear, I fear that he is over old for such a change. He says not a word of complaint, but I read upon his face that he is stricken to the heart."

De Catinat was about to suggest that the voyage might restore the merchant's health, when Adele gave a cry of surprise and pointed out over the port quarter.

"Look!" she cried. "There is something floating upon the sea. I saw it upon the crest of a wave."

He looked in the direction in which she pointed, but it was so far from him that he could make nothing of it, but sharper eyes than his had caught a glint of it. Amos Green had seen the girl point.

"Captain Ephraim," said he, "there's a boat on the starboard quarter."

The New England seaman whipped out his glass.

"Aye, it's a boat," said he, "but an empty one. Maybe it's been washed off from some ship or gone adrift from shore. Put her hard down, Mr. Tomlinson, for it just so happens that I am in need of a boat at present."

Half a minute later the Golden Rod had swung round and was running swiftly down toward the black spot which still bobbed and danced upon the waves. As they neared her they could see that something was projecting over her side.

"It's a man's head!" cried Amos Green.

But Ephraim's grim face grew grimmer. "It's a man's foot," said he. "I think that you had best take the gal below to the cabin."

Amid a solemn hush they ran alongside this lonely craft which hung out so sinister a signal.

She was a little thirteen foot cockleshell, very broad for her length and so flat in the bottom that she had been meant evidently for river or lake work. Huddled together beneath the seats were three folk, a man in the dress of a respectable artisan, a woman of the same class and a little child about a year old. The boat was half full of water, and the woman and child were stretched with their faces downward, the fair curls of the infant and the dark locks of the mother washing to and fro like water weeds upon the surface. The man lay with a slate colored face, his chin cocking upward toward the sky, his eyes turned upward to the whites and his mouth wide open, showing a leathern wrinkled tongue like a rotting leaf. In the bows, all huddled in a heap and with a single paddle still grasped in his hand, there crouched a very small man clad in black, an open book lying across his face and one stiff leg jutting upward with the heel of the foot resting between the rowlocks.

A boat had been lowered by the Golden Rod, and the unfortunate was soon conveyed upon deck. No particle of either food or drink was to be found or anything save the single paddle and the open Bible, which lay across the small man's face. Man, woman and child had all been dead a day at the least, and so, with the short prayers used upon the seas, they were buried from the vessel's side. The small man had at first seemed also to be lifeless, but Amos had detected some slight flutter of his heart, and the faintest haze was left upon the watch glass which was held before his mouth. Wrapped in a dry blanket, he was laid beside the man, and the mate forced a few drops of rum every few minutes between his lips until the little speck of life which still lingered in him might be fanned to a flame. Meanwhile Ephraim had ordered up the two prisoners whom he had entrapped at Honfleur.

"Very sorry, captain," said the seaman, "but either you had to come with us, d'ye see, or we had to stay with you. They're waiting for me over at Boston, and so in truth I couldn't tarry. Which would you prefer, to go on with us to America or to go back to France?"

"Back to France, if I can find my way, if only to have a word with that fool of a gunner."

"Well, we emptied a bucketful of water over his lustock and priming, d'ye see, so maybe he did all he could. But there's France, where that thickening is, over yonder."

"I see it; I see it! Ah, if my feet were only upon it once more!"

"There is a boat beside us, and you may take it."

"My God, what happiness! Corporal Lemoine, the boat! Let us push off at once."

"But you need a few things first. Good Lord, who ever heard of a man pushin' off like that? Mr. Tomlinson, just sling a keg of water and a barrel of meat and of biscuit into this boat. Hiram Jefferson, bring two oars aft. It's a long pull with the wind in your teeth, but you'll be there by tomorrow night, and the weather is set fair."

The two Frenchmen were soon provided with all that they were likely to require and pushed off with a waving of hats and a shouting of "Bon voyage!" The yard was swung round again, and the Golden Rod turned her bowsprit for the west.

But while these things had been done the senseless man beneath the mast had twitched his eyelids, had drawn a little gasping breath and then finally had opened his eyes. Old Catinat had come upon deck, and at the sight of the man and of his dress he had run forward and had raised his head reverently.

"He is one of the faithful," he cried. "He is one of our pastors. Ah! Now indeed a blessing will be upon our journey!"

But the man smiled gently and shook his head. "I fear that I may not come upon the crest of a wave."

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Should your baby suffer? When he is fretful and irritable don't let him and use any old thing your neighbor recommends. Buy a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge, greatest known worm medicine and cure for all children's diseases. It is mild in its action, builds up the system, makes him strong, helps for Malaria. Mrs. G. Smith, Tampa, Fla. writes: "My baby was thin and sickly, could not retain its food and cried all night. I used one bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge and in a few days baby was laughing happy and well."

Sold by all druggists.

Skater Breaks Arm.

Richard Scott, the nine-year-old grandson of Mrs. M. K. Scott, 223 North Fourth street, fell Saturday afternoon while trying to skate down the Methodist church steps, at Broadway and Seventh streets, and fractured his right arm.

Mr. Ghout—All my money cannot give me health, doctor! Dr. Bolus—No, perhaps not; but it is of inestimable value, nevertheless. It gives your physician great confidence.

RAILROAD DEALS
UNDER THE LIGHT

Deferred Announcement of Coming Dividends

Promises of More Substantial Testimony are Given Before the Commission.

MEETING IN CHICAGO NEXT.

New York, Jan. 7.—Interesting light was thrown at the interstate commerce commission's inquiry into the Harriman railroads on the deferred announcement of increased Southern and Union Pacific dividends, which was not made public until certain insiders had had time to make purchases of stock which afterward rose in value and netted them a profit of millions of dollars.

These revelations, according to a man high up in the railroad world, are but forerunners of greater sensations to come. One of these, he declares, will be the inside story of how Harriman and his associates induced the Union Pacific to pay \$175 a share for 195,000 shares of Illinois Central stock which they had purchased at a much lower figure without putting up a dollar of their own money. The profit of Harriman and one or two of his associates in this deal alone is estimated at \$10,000,000.

Meet Next in Chicago. The testimony concluded the present session in this city. The commission will meet in Chicago Tuesday at 10 a. m. and will renew the inquiry into the operation of the four western roads which Harriman holds in the hollow of his hand.

In regard to the delay in announcing increased dividends of the two big roads it was shown that the action was taken at the suggestion of Mr. Harriman who explained that he thought all the directors should be notified before public announcement was made.

At the conclusion of the session, which was productive of many surprises and unending proof that Mr. Harriman is the absolute master of the Union Pacific and affiliated corporations, announcement was made that William Rockefeller had been subpoenaed to appear at the next meeting of the board of directors of the Union Pacific held on August 15, 1906, a resolution was presented by Mr. Harriman, chairman of the board, providing for a semi-annual dividend of \$2 a share to be declared on preferred stock to stockholders of record. A second resolution was presented providing for a dividend of \$5 a share on common stock, to be distributed on October 1. Reading from the record Mr. Miller said:

"Mr. Harriman said that as all the directors could not attend the meeting, he thought announcement of the dividend should be deferred until they could learn of it. He suggested that the matter be referred to the executive committee for such action as that committee deemed advisable."

"Acting upon Mr. Harriman's advice the directors put the whole matter over to the executive committee, a meeting of which was held on the following day, August 16.

Members of the commission will start for Chicago tomorrow on the twentieth century limited. From Chicago they will go west, and it may be two or three weeks before they get back to New York.

Big Deals are Shown.

Evidence was introduced showing that during the panic of March, 1903, Mr. Harriman borrowed nearly \$6,000,000 from various New York City banks and lent to the Union Pacific \$9,000,000 on demand notes with no collateral. To other railroads he lent nearly a million dollars with no collaterals.

That Mr. Harriman had purchased



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RIVER TEN MILES WIDE IN PLACES

**Evansville Reports Danger
Line Under Water**

**Steamboats Go Through Cornfields
and Farmers Suffer Heavy
Losses.**

ISLANDERS ARE IN DANGER

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 7.—The Ohio river in places between this city and Cairo, Ill., is ten miles wide. Steamboats run through cornfields in making their trips up and down the river. One can stand on the levee here and see miles and miles of overflowed lands in Kentucky. The river continues to rise here at the rate of nearly an inch an hour, and stands at 39 feet at 9 o'clock last night. It is expected that the rise will continue for three or four days.

Henry and George Mann, prominent Kentucky farmers, living directly opposite this city, were here all day trying to get towboats to remove their crops and 15,000 bushels of corn which they said would be entirely lost if the river went much higher.

Farmers in many localities have been unable to gather their corn crop owing to lack of laborers. Below here there are great quantities of corn in cribs that the water is covering.

Numerous families on both sides of the river are living in the upper stories of their homes. Their stock is stored in barns and sheds built on mounds.

Waterworks Surrounded.

The waterworks plant above this city was surrounded by water today and its employees are forced to come and go in skiffs. The coal supply is low, and it will be necessary to tow fuel out to the plant. The towboat J. B. A. made a trip around the waterworks today.

Reports received today from points along Green river say that stream is rising rapidly. It is feared the government locks at Spottsville and other places will be badly damaged. Thousands of logs are coming out of Green river today, and loggers continue to reap a harvest in catching them. Many landings along Green river are submerged, and boats can make no landings.

Rough and Pond rivers, tributaries of Green river, continue to rise rapidly. River men here say another rise will bring a flood as great as that of 1884. Reports today show that the Wabash river is overflowing thousands of acres of wheat and corn and the loss will be the greatest since the flood of 1884. The river is several miles wide below New Harmony.

Coal Supply Cut Off.

A dispatch from Hazelton, Ind., states that White river will continue to rise for two or three days yet. An effort is being made to save corn in the lowlands. Patoka river is also doing extensive damage. Steamboats arriving from down the river say many

persons are being rescued from the lowlands and taken to towns in Southern Illinois. As many of the towns are partly under water, it will be several days before they will receive any mail. In many places the coal supply is cut off and people are forced to gather driftwood and burn it.

Several large islands in the Wabash river on which hundreds of families live, are submerged and the towboat Bernice today rescued many persons from house tops and several hundred cattle. The persons remaining on the islands are in the second stories of houses on higher grounds. The sight of hogs and chickens on top of hay stacks coming down the White and Wabash rivers was witnessed more than once today. The Little Wabash river is also overflowed and the damage reported along that stream in Southern Illinois is heavy.

It is expected that the Ohio river will pass the 40-foot mark by 9 o'clock Monday morning.

SARDONIC HEALTH HINTS.

Never get cold feet, especially in politics.

For palpitation of the heart, quit reading market quotations.

A good way to treat appendicitis is to cut out the surgeon.

Avoid late hours; when the clock strikes twenty-three it is time to go to bed.

Maladies which fail to respond to any other treatment should be treated with silent contempt.

Remember that care killed a cat, and the man who has no more than nine lives cannot afford to worry.

Nose-bleed is frequently caused by not minding your own business. It may be cured by calling the police and diving into the nearest drug store.

If you are fat, get thin; if thin, get fat. Nature never meant for you to be satisfied with your weight.

A bee sting is good for rheumatism, and therefore those who have hives are seldom troubled with sciatica at the same time.

Drink plenty of water, some of the clearer varieties being preferable; that which you get from the milkman may contain bacilli.

For hay fever take large doses of poison in rapid succession until relieved. Those who have tried this sterling remedy have never complained of the same trouble afterward.

Physicians say that laughter is an aid to digestion. Therefore, be mirthful; the more the merrier. Young men should grin and young girls should giggle as much as possible. You may be thought silly, and this will occasion some concern on the part of your friends, but they will not be surprised.

Walk four miles every morning, as soon as you are dressed—not before. Returning, breakfast upon a small dish of evaporated bran and skimmed milk, and a cup of imitation coffee with condensed cream. This is a wonderful flesh reducer and is said to stimulate the digestive apparatus immeasurably. It will make you a child again, and so whets the appetite that within 30 seconds you will feel as if you never ate a thing in your life.—Thomas Speed Mosby,

in the January Bohemian.

RIVER NEWS

River Stages.

Cairo	41.2	2.1	rise
Chattanooga	8.7	2.0	fall
Cincinnati	38.8	4.4	fall
Evansville	40.3	2.4	rise
Florence	9.4	3.6	fall
Johnsonville	23.2	0.8	fall
Louisville	19.5	2.8	fall
Mt. Carmel	20.2	1.4	rise
Nashville	25.5	8.8	fall
Pittsburg	10.3	0.2	rise
Davis Island Dam—Missing.			
St. Louis	10.0	1.5	rise
Mt. Vernon	39.1	3.4	rise
Paducah	38.3	2.3	rise

No prediction of the probable highest stage of the river here in the present rise can be made from comparison with former years, for January in the last six years has not witnessed a similar rise, the highest stage in any of those six years not being over thirty feet. In 1899 we had a similar situation when the river here was at a stage of 36.6. In 1898, however, the river rose higher than it probably will now, with a stage of 43.8. The upper Tennessee is falling but the upper Ohio as yet shows little change, and the probability of more rain makes it uncertain what the river will do before a fall starts in.

The stage this morning was 38.3, a rise of 2.3 for 49 hours, and of .9 for the last 24 hours.

An unintentional impression given out has been that the marine ways here were nearing a suspension of operations from the high water. At present the full force is employed and more caulkers and carpenters are needed. The Clyde is stripped and this morning the T. H. Davis was taken out. It is extremely improbable that the present rise will interfere greatly in the operations there.

The Dick Fowler was let off Saturday afternoon and passed inspection with flying colors. The river around the ways looks like an ocean ship-yard from the large number of boats awaiting their turns for repairs.

The Chattanooga was sent to Mound City from the ways here to get repairs before its turn would have come, but has not been taken out there yet.

It looked good to see the Dick Fowler at the wharf this morning loading to leave for Cairo. The first trip in two weeks was a good one.

The Spread Eagle left yesterday for Jeffersonville to bring the new Alton Eagle from Howard's. The machinery will be placed on the Alton Eagle here.

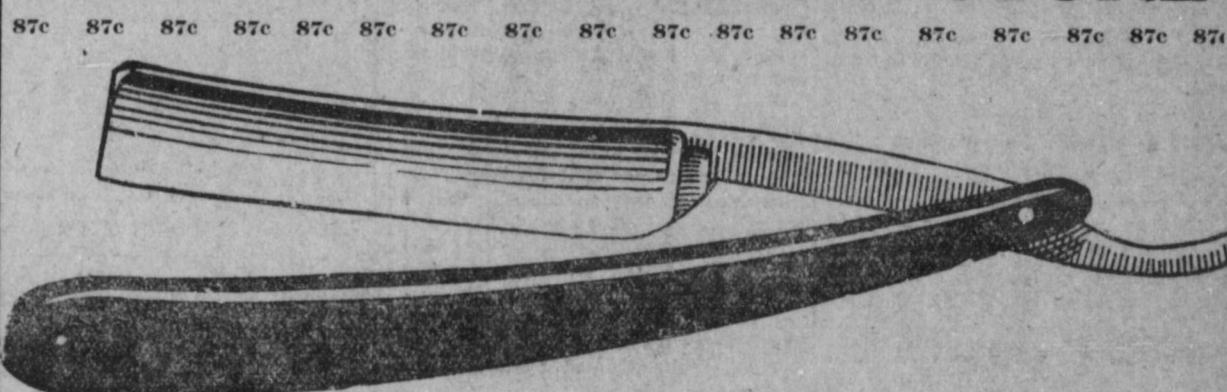
John Stout, pilot on the Saltillo

last season, has gone on the towboat

less the boilers are cleaned out will

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Condor, and left this morning for Cairo to join the boat.

The Condor brought the T. H. Davis up from Joppa yesterday and returned immediately to Cairo.

The Inverness will arrive this evening from the Cumberland river with ties. The Margaret left last night for the Tennessee river.

What probably may be the last change in schedule for the Buttortiff in some time was decided on last week when the old schedule of Mondays for Clarksville and Wednesdays for Nashville was revived. The Buttortiff as predicted could not get over the locks between Clarksville and Nashville and the Henry Harley came out this morning in the Buttortiff's place. The Henry Harley left at noon for Clarksville.

The Mary A. Anderson, a new towboat, arrived from Jeffersonville Sunday on the way to the Duck river, where it will run. The Anderson is a good small towboat.

The City of Memphis will be due in from the Tennessee river tonight.

On account of an extra corn trip from Diamond Landing to Henderson, the Joe Fowler will not arrive until this evening from Evansville, and unless the boilers are cleaned out will

leave immediately for the same the river before then.

All day yesterday the wharf and wharfboat were thronged with visitors attracted by the high water.

While inspecting the Dick Fowler a life preserver was dropped on one woman, without serious injury, however.

The Raymond Horner passed up early yesterday morning with a big tow of empties for Pittsburg.

Mr. Henry Thompson, the confectioner, bought a gasoline launch Saturday from a St. Louis man, paying \$50 for it.

Don't forget, please. Mrs. Austin's Pancake flour best of all. At \$50 for it.

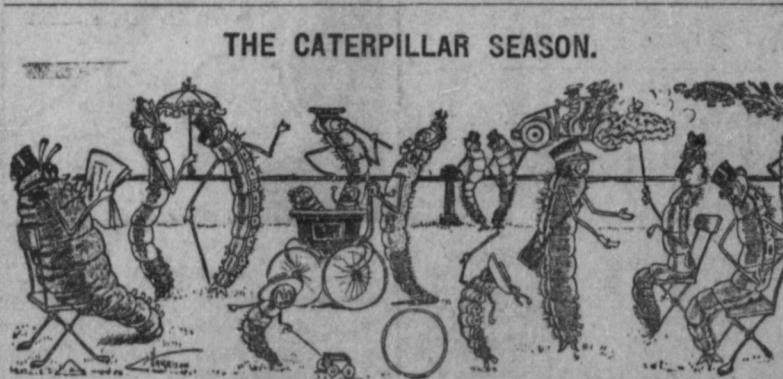
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